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CALIFORNIA CITIES PLACE TABOO KU KLUX KLAN

Mississippi Levees Break and Many Families Flee For Lives

POYDRAS SCENE OF EXCITEMENT AS BANKS BREAK

One Section Is Hundred Feet in Length, Letting Volumes of Water Escape.

NATCHEZ, MISS., IS AFFECTED

Crevasse Is Rapidly Gaining in Width in Wecama Levee; Water Enters Ferriday.

(By Associated Press) NEW ORLEANS, April 27.—A break in the Mississippi occurred today at Poydras, about 10 miles south of here. Early reports are that a section of the levee, about 100 feet long, blew out, and that approximately 350 families were fleeing before the flood waters.

(By Associated Press) NATCHEZ, April 27.—Flood waters of the Mississippi, pouring in through a rapidly widening crevasse in the Wecama levee, this morning entered the town of Ferriday, La., four miles from the break.

(By Associated Press) SHREVEPORT, April 27.—Several persons were killed and a number of small houses washed from their foundations when Bonita creek at Nacogdoches, Texas, 75 miles southwest of here, went out of its banks last night, flooding the lowlands, according to a telephone message here.

(By Associated Press) DALLAS, April 27.—The crest of the Trinity river flood passed Dallas at 5 o'clock this morning, reaching a maximum depth of 42.3 feet, according to the local weather bureau. From 5 to 7 o'clock the water had receded at the rate of one-tenth of an inch per hour, the bureau reported.

(By Associated Press) ATLANTA, April 27.—Over 4000 flood refugees are being cared for in three camps established at Harrisonburg, Martinsville, La., and at Natchez, Miss., according to reports to the headquarters of the southern division of the Red Cross here.

(By Associated Press) NEW ORLEANS, April 27.—As a result of the breaking of levees on the Mississippi, near Ferriday, La., eight small communities as far north as Sicily Island, along the Missouri Pacific railway, are already inundated. The towns of Panola, Junks, Clayton and other communities will have 20 feet of water within 24 hours, engineers estimated.

Farm Products Show.

(By Associated Press) HAYWARD, April 27.—A farm products show is now being planned here for the purpose of arousing interest in the agricultural development of this vicinity. Ten thousand dollars has already been raised toward the construction of an exhibit building.

BUTLER THEATRE
— TODAY —
A star who never disappoints
Gloria Swanson
— IN —
"UNDER THE LASH"
A story of a woman's relation to marriage and to man-made rules about love. A drama that races through a maze of scenes that crackle and snap like a whip.
Latest Pathe News.
Tomorrow, William Russell, in "Desert Blossoms."
Monday, Pola Negri.

BRYAN IS INSULTING COLLEGE PROFESSOR

(By Associated Press) MORGANTOWN, W. Va., April 27.—William Jennings Bryan has sent his check for \$100 to Dr. R. C. Spangler, professor of botany in the West Virginia university, as a reward for answering certain questions in evolution put by Bryan in a recent address here. Dr. Spangler is undecided whether he will accept the money, because Bryan took the position he had proved nothing and in the letter accompanying the check declared "it is worth \$100 to me to see a college professor guilty of cowardly evasion."

NEWBY ELECTED GRAND MASTER MASONIC ORDER

Thirty-Fifth Triennial Conclave Names Indiana Man to Head Knights Templar.

(By Associated Press) NEW ORLEANS, April 27.—Leonidas P. Newby, of Knightstown, Ind., was elected Most Excellent Grand Master of the Knights Templar order in the United States at the thirty-fifth triennial conclave held here.

(By Associated Press) INDIANAPOLIS, April 27.—Judge Leonidas Perry Newby, who has been active in Masonic affairs for many years, was born on a farm in Henry county, Indiana, April 9, 1856, and has lived in Knightstown, Ind., since 1872. He had held various public offices as a republican, serving as president of the state senate eight years and as acting lieutenant governor four years. He had been an officer of banks in Indianapolis and elsewhere, and director in 16 corporations.

Mr. Newby arranged in 1919, as special commissioner for the grand encampment, Knights Templar, for the adoption by the encampment of 500 French war orphans, and also entered into an agreement with the Knights Templar of England for the rebuilding at Jerusalem of the hospital of St. John of Jerusalem, which was constructed by the order in the tenth century. He is the author of "Sidelights on Templar Law," which has been adopted generally throughout the grand encampment.

Mr. Newby married Miss Mary Elizabeth Breckenridge in 1876. They have a son and daughter.

REGENERATION TURKEY GROWS QUITE RAPIDLY

United States Corporations Obtain Concessions From the Nationalist Government.

(By Associated Press) ADANA, Cilicia, April 1. — (By Mail.)—Signs of the coming economic regeneration of Asiatic Turkey grow more abundant as United States companies, through their representatives here, announce new concessions obtained from the nationalist government at Angora, for the exploitation and development of the country.

Three important concessions have been announced by American capitalists within weeks, and others are under consideration.

One American company announces that it has obtained a 75-year lease in the port of Mersina, which is to involve extensive works in the construction of the port and town.

A third company has arranged with the Angora government for the exploitation of the Anatolian mines and electrical power for the lighting and industries of the villages of Adana, Angora and Konia.

EXHIBITS OF YOUNG PEOPLE TO BE SEEN

(By Associated Press) CHICAGO, April 27.—Exhibits from boys' and girls' clubs will be a special feature of the Fourth Grain and Haw Show to be held here in connection with the International Live Stock Exposition, December 2-9. The United States department of agriculture and also the state agricultural colleges will make large educational exhibits, it is announced. The International Live Stock Exposition is expected to assign larger space than formerly to this show.

RUSSIA AND GERMANY RESUME RELATIONS

(By Associated Press) LONDON, April 27.—Diplomatic relations between Germany and Russia will be resumed immediately in accordance with the treaty signed at Rapallo, says a Central News dispatch from Berlin.

PHYSICIANS OF MARYLAND SLAP VOLSTEAD ACT

Declare War on Measure Insofar as It Applies to Practice of Their Profession.

SAY HARDSHIPS ARE ENTAILED

Appeal American Medical Association Use Influence to Have Measure Modified.

(By Associated Press) BALTIMORE, April 27.—Maryland physicians today declared war on the Volstead act insofar as it pertains to their profession. Not only did the physicians protest against the "hardships entailed upon physicians," by the act, but requested the American Medical Association to use its influence in repealing sections of the act relative to prescribing liquors with alcoholic content.

BONES OF MAMMOTH SPECIES UNEARTHED

BUENOS AIRES, April 1. — (By Mail.)—In the midst of the popular interest in the report that some monster of prehistoric species has been seen alive in Patagonia, workmen near the town of Las Rosas, in the northern province of Santa Fe, have accidentally excavated fossilized parts of the skeleton of what was evidently a pleistocene mammoth.

The newspaper publish a photograph of a section of a tusk three feet and one inch long and five inches in diameter at its thickest part. The bones are being brought to the museum of natural history at La Plata, where there are many fine skeletons of animals of the geologic epochs found in Argentina.

GREAT SAVING WAS EFFECTED BY WAR DEPT.

Over Forty Million Has Already Been Saved Government Through Economies.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Secretary Weeks today sent to the senate military committee a "hastily prepared" report of economies inaugurated during his administration of the war department, showing a total saving of \$40,023,339. The report was in response to a request of the committee.

ANNUAL REPORT TONOPAH M. CO. IS DISTRIBUTED

Net Earnings From Mines of Tonopah Amounted to Close One-Third Million.

COMPANY IS BIG FINANCIALLY

Mining Costs Were Reduced, and Average Value of Ore Showed Good Increase.

The twentieth annual report of the Tonopah Mining company of Nevada, for the year ending December 31, 1921, which was recently issued, shows the company to be in a flourishing condition, and despite the fact that mine and mill operations were at a standstill for four months, the net earnings and income for the year amounted to \$339,148.89.

Two dividends of \$50,000 each were paid, No. 57 being disbursed on April 21, and the other on October 21, leaving a net surplus of \$239,148.89. This makes a total of \$15,025,000 paid to shareholders in dividends during the life of the company, while in addition the company retired in February, 1905, its issued and outstanding preferred stock, with interest, amounting to a total of \$380,557.51.

During the year 1921 operations were prosecuted through the Silver Top, Mizpah and Sand Grass shafts and a total of 43,644 tons of ore were produced and consigned to the company's mill at Millers. The average content of the ore was 0.154 ounces gold per ton, and 14.06 ounces silver per ton, or \$17.25, as compared with 0.142 ounces gold and 13.21 ounces silver, or \$16.92, for the preceding year. Profits from mine ore amounted to \$177,567.90, or \$4.08 a ton.

In addition to the mine ore there was shipped 652 tons of dump ore with an average value of \$9.11 per ton, with profits of \$1901.50, or \$2.92 per ton.

During the year a total of 8907 feet of development was performed, or 37.4 feet per working day, as compared with 18.9 feet per day during the preceding year, while the average cost was \$6.55 as compared with \$6.94 the preceding year.

The receipts of the company for the year 1921 totaled \$1,756,925.82, which included mill products, interest on bank balances, interest on loans and investments, dividends, real estate rentals, administrative service rendered and paid by subsidiary companies, loans, demand loans returned, U. S. certificates of indebtedness and accounts collected. There was a cash balance on hand January 1, 1921, which makes a total of \$1,792,489.37. Disbursements, consisting of labor, supplies, freight, salaries and general expenses, power, purchased, insurance, taxes paid, exploration expense, loans to subsidiary companies, and purchases of bonds in various companies, sundry investments, custom ore purchased, payments of dividends, etc., amounted to \$1,752,799.88, while there was cash on hand of \$39,709.49 on December 31, 1921.

The Tonopah Mining company of Nevada owns 9887 shares of the common stock and 2834 shares of the preferred stock of the Tonopah & Goldfield Railroad company, being 59.16 per cent of the outstanding stock of that company, yet, despite the adverse conditions caused by inactivity in the mining industry, as well as the universal depression in industries in general and the prolonged labor strike in the Tonopah and Divide districts, a net income of \$339,148.89 was realized. From this sum two dividends aggregating \$100,000 were paid, with \$239,148.89 having been added to the surplus. This surplus has been invested in high grade securities.

ALBERT SILVER, superintendent of milling for the Tonopah Belmont Development, company accompanied by his wife, are visiting in Reno.

LAKE TEXCOCO WILL HAVE BED OF CLOVER

(By Associated Press) MEXICO CITY, April 19. — (By Mail.)—After years of experimenting in an effort to stop the dense clouds of dust which sweep down on Mexico City at certain regular periods, the department of agriculture has decided to plant clover and alfalfa in the bed of Lake Texcoco, a lake near the capital which has been dry for several years. Agricultural experts believe well cultivated verdure will invite moisture in greater quantities and will prevent the dust from rising in the driest seasons.

RUSSIAN SINGER IS WISE ABOUT WEALTH

(By Associated Press) RIGA, Latvia, April 3. — (By Mail.)—Feodor Chaliapin, Russian singer, is credited by Riga newspapers with earning on his tour of England and America last winter, more than \$500,000 by concerts and as royalties on phonograph records. This money, the papers said, had all been deposited in London banks.

MULLINGAR IS SCENE WARFARE AMONG IRISH

Regulars and Irregulars of the Republican Forces Clash and Use Machine Guns.

DE VALERA CAUSES TROUBLE

Free State Government Troops Finally Capture City After Two Hours of Fighting.

(By Associated Press) MULLINGAR, April 27.—Two men were killed and six are believed to be wounded as a result of fighting between the regular and irregular Irish republican army forces stationed here in anticipation of De Valera's anti-treaty meeting Saturday. Firing continued for two hours, both sides using rifles and machine guns. One man was killed on each side.

(By Associated Press) LONDON, April 27.—Troops of the provisional free state government gained control of the town of Mullingar after today's fighting, says a dispatch from the Belfast correspondent of the Evening News. An armored car was manned by regulars patrolling the streets at the time the dispatch was filed.

PRISONERS IN CALCUTTA SHOT DOWN BY GUARD

Discontent Over Alleged Favored Treatment Certain Element Causes Outbreak.

(By Associated Press) CALCUTTA, April 27.—Discontent over the alleged favored treatment of political prisoners is believed to have been at the bottom of yesterday's convict report in a jail here when a break for the gates was made by about 300 of the men, several of whom were killed when fired upon by guards. A few of the prisoners escaped over the walls.

SNOW DISAPPEARING NEAR SPANISH BELT

The snow in the vicinity of the Consolidated Spanish Belt Mining company's property is reported as still being two feet deep, but if the continued warm weather prevails the hills will be clear within the next two weeks. Victor Barndt, who is heavily interested in the company, stated yesterday that operations at the mine and mill will probably be resumed by May 15, and plans are being worked out to insure a season of great prosperity for the company.

WILL OBSERVE CENTENARY OF AGED MISSION

Santa Clara Will be Scene of Celebration to be Held From May 1 to 7.

(By Associated Press) CINCINNATI, April 27.—President Harding was given a hearty welcome on his arrival here on his way to Point Pleasant, Ohio, where he is to take part in the centenary celebration this afternoon, of the birth of General U. S. Grant.

(By Associated Press) POINT PLEASANT, April 27.—Two persons were injured aboard the Island Queen, one of a flotilla of river boats carrying visitors to the Grant celebration, when the forward portion of the third deck crashed as the steamer was passing New Richmond. President Harding was to have been a passenger, but last night was switched to the government boat Cayuga, which led the flotilla.

(By Associated Press) SANTA CLARA, April 27.—One hundred years ago the mission of Santa Clara was founded, so next week, May 15, a big centenary celebration is to be held here. Approximately 150,000 visitors are expected to attend.

One feature of the celebration will be the presentation of Martin Melie's "Mission Play of Santa Clara." Sixty students of the university of Santa Clara will take part in this pageant-play, which depicts the romantic history of the old mission. Another big number on the program will be a centenary rodeo, in which riders and performers from all parts of the west will compete for the \$5000 offered in prizes.

MONSTER MAIL ROBBERY NOW ABOUT SOLVED

Three Men Taken by Postoffice Inspectors in New York Has Excellent Results.

(By Associated Press) NEW YORK, April 27.—Louis and Jack Wolfe, and Jacob B. Price were arrested today by postoffice inspectors in connection with the \$2,500,000 mail truck robbery perpetrated in lower Broadway on October 24, 1921. Stolen securities valued at \$75,000 were recovered.

TURKISH STUDENTS WILL GO TO MOSCOW

(By Associated Press) CONSTANTINOPLE, April 1. — (By Mail.)—One hundred Turkish students will be received at Moscow university for full terms whenever the nationalist authorities at Angora are ready to send them, according to a message received here from the Russian ambassador at Angora. The invitation was issued to the students by M. Lunacharsky, soviet minister of education.

OFFICERS ARE INSTRUCTED TO QUIT THE KLAN

Failure to Do So Will Result in Summary Dismissal, Is Official Announcement.

NEW RECRUITS JOIN ORDER

Eight Hundred Members Voice Support at Meeting Held in Southern City.

(By Associated Press) LONG BEACH, April 27.—Orders to any Long Beach policeman who may be members of the Ku Klux Klan, to withdraw immediately from membership in the Klan, were issued today by Chief of Police Mc-Lendon.

(By Associated Press) VENICE, April 27.—Mayor Gerety declared today he would not tolerate members of the Ku Klux Klan, nor sympathizers with them, to remain in the service of the city of Venice.

(By Associated Press) SACRAMENTO, April 27.—City Manager Swoy today issued instructions to the heads of the city department, asking them to investigate reports that police, firemen and other city employees had joined the Ku Klux Klan at a meeting Tuesday night here.

(By Associated Press) LOS ANGELES, April 27.—Sixty men were initiated into the Ku Klux Klan at a meeting here last night of upwards of 800 members of Los Angeles Klan No. 1, and the Klansmen, after discussing the investigation growing out of the Inglewood raid, voiced full support of the organization. It was announced here today by Grand Goblin Coburn.

Two deputy sheriffs, who had been nominated as klansmen, sent in their resignations to the Ku Klux Klan here today, and informed Sheriff Traeger today they had gone into the organization in the belief that "it was fit for true Americans, but they were now resigning."

District Attorney Dorsey, of Kern county, who is conducting an investigation before the Kern county grand jury, into the activities of the Klan in the oil fields section, arrived here today and went into consultation with District Attorney Woolwine. The list of members of the Bakersfield Klan was found among the papers taken from Grand Goblin Coburn's office. It was said no list was found for any Klan at Taft, but it was not known from the investigation, thus far, whether the Bakersfield Klan membership list included citizens of Taft.

(By Associated Press) LOS ANGELES, April 27.—Kleagle N. A. Baker, sought by the county investigators as the leader of the fatal Inglewood raid, and organizer for the Klan, appeared at the district attorney's office for examination, and was escorted by Grand Goblin Coburn. The district attorney announced the names of 1013 residents of Los Angeles, a quite a number of residents of other parts of the county had been found to be Klans, among effects removed from Coburn's office, by a search warrant. The records also show some women members, Woolwine said.

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Local Observer, United States	
Weather Bureau:	
Temperatures 5 a.m.	Noon
Current	60
Wet bulb	42
Relative humidity	46
Temperatures, Extremes	
1922	1921
Maximum yesterday	67
Minimum yesterday	45